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In re application of: Melvyn LITTLE, et. al.

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Roark, J.

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Response to Restriction Requirement

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

For:

This is in response to the Office Action dated December 6, 2000, and is submitted on or before the extended due date of March 6, 2001. A Petition for Extension of Time for one (1) month and the requisite fee is enclosed herewith.

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In the Specification:

On page 3, line 12, after "GTAGTCAAGGCTGTAATGATCATC" insert --(SEQ ID NO:

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On page 5, line 16, after "single-chain antibody" insert -- (SEQ ID NOs: 1 and 2)--.

On page 5, line 18, after "anti-CD19" insert --(SEQ ID NOs: 3-6)--.

Following page 7, please insert the sequence listing pages 1-8.

In the Claims:

Cancel Claims 10 and 11.

<u>REMARKS</u>

The Amendment

The SEQ ID numbers are inserted or corrected in the specification in connection with the submission of sequence listing.

No new matter is added in any of the amendments. The Examiner is requested to enter